CHOLMONDELEY OF CHOLMONDELEY, CHESHIRE

The name is pronounced "Chumley". The earlier account is unreliable.

ARMS:*Gules two close OR esquires helmets in chief argent and a garb in base or (*1583) QUARTERING Azure a chevron between three garbs or [FOR DIFFERENCE] a crescent between the two upper garbs (NOW CHECK *1583 page3)

CREST: A demi-griffin segreant sable beaked and legged or holding in the claws a close helmet azure OR proper garnished or

VARIANT: CHOLMELEY

Robert Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1175-
b 2nd son of William Malpas
m Mabel FitzNigel dau of Robert FitzNigel "Baron of Halton"
(by grant of his father, lord of Cholmondeley, Cheshire)
chn: Hugh Cholmondeley below

Sir Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire Knight c1200-
m Felice {Chester} illeg. dau of Ranulph {Chester} 4th Earl of Chester c1172-1232
QV
chn: Robert Cholmondeley below
Richard Cholmondeley
Felice Cholmondeley

Robert Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1225-
m ? Beatrice dau of Urian St Pierre
m ? Beatrice dau of David Malpas (baron of Malpas); (sister of Idony who m Urian St Pierre)
i St Werburgh Abbey
chn: Richard Cholmondeley below

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1250-
m Margery Kingsley dau and coheir=b of Sir Richard Kingsley; (sister of Richard Kingsley); (living) 1244-5
chn: Richard Cholmondeley [1] (had no chn)
Hugh Cholmondeley below

Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1275-
m Catherine Spurstow dau of William Spurstow
(living) 1312-3
(also said to be son of Henry OR Kenrick Cholmondeley living c1272-1307)
[VIS.CHESH.1580 63]
chn: Richard Cholmondeley b c1300 below
Hugh Cholmondeley b c1305 further below
Robert Cholmondeley b c1326 further below
Thomas Cholmondeley

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1300-
m1 Mabel .....
m2 Matilda .....
(as son of Hugh) 1319-20
(with wife Mabel, as Richard snr) 1335-6
(as son of Hugh) 1357-8
chn:
[2] Richard Cholmondeley below

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1330-a1362
(had no chn)
IPM 1361-2
(succeded by William son of Hugh Cholmondeley)

Hugh Cholmondeley (of Cholmondeley, Cheshire) c1305-a1362
m Isabel Harcourt dau and coheir of Robert Harcourt of Chorley, Cheshire
d a1362
chn: William Cholmondeley below
Lettice Cholmondeley m Roger Bromley (of Baddington, Cheshire) c1330-.... QV

William Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1335-a1376
m Elizabeth Brereton dau of Sir William Brereton of Brereton, Cheshire Knight c1319-.... QV
d 1375-6
(Sir William Brereton made guardian of Richard C. then under age and if he die guardian of his sisters Catherine and Margery)
chn: Richard Cholmondeley [1] b c1360 below
Catherine Cholmondeley
Margery Cholmondeley

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1365-
m1 Ann Bromley dau of John Bromley of Baddington, Cheshire [? c1355-.... QV]
m2 a1388 Alice Henhull dau and coheir of Richard Henhull of Henhull, Cheshire .....-c1388
(said IN ERROR to have married Elizabeth Talbot dau of Sir Gilbert Talbot 5th Baron Talbot 1383-1419 QV)
chn: William Cholmondeley below

William Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1390-1422
m Matilda Cheyney dau and heir of Sir John Cheyney of Willaston in Wirral, Cheshire OR Kent Knight and Matilda (Capenhurst dau and coheir of John OR Thomas Capenhurst); m2 William Lee of Aston in Stone, Staffs c1400-a1446 QV
d 1422
chn: Richard Cholmondeley b c1420 below
John Cholmondeley b c1422 further below

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1420-a1489
m Eleanor Davenport dau of John Davenport of Davenport, Cheshire c1405-.... QV
IPM 1488-9
(Justice, Chester) 1464-5; (as Richard senr, Justice, Chester) 1482-3 1486-7
chn: Richard Cholmondeley below
Randall Cholmondeley [2]
Hugh Cholmondeley [3]
Ada Cholmondeley m ..... Hinton
Elizabeth Cholmondeley m John Hanmer of Bettisfied, Flints c1470-1548 [VIS.SALOP.1623 212]
Eleanor Cholmondeley m Hamon Hassall of Nantwich, Cheshire [VIS.CHESH.1580 71]

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1460-1488
[m Elizabeth Corbet dau of Roger Corbet of Moreton Corbet, Salop c1412-1467 QV; (and had chn: Matilda m Sir Peter Newton of Coole, Cheshire and Heightley in Chirbury, Salop Knight c1490-.... [VIS.CHESH.1580 184] [VIS.MONTGOM.c1580-c1614 14])]
m Eleanor Dutton 5th dau and coheir=bs of Sir Thomas Dutton of Dutton, Cheshire Knight c1420-1459 QV
d before his father 1488
chn: Richard Cholmondeley below

Richard Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1475-1539
m Elizabeth Brereton dau of Sir Randall Brereton of Malpas, Cheshire Knight c1470-.... QV; m2 Sir Randall Mainwaring of Over Peover, Cheshire Knight c1495-a1557 QV
IPM 20 Mar 1538.9 [?1518.9]
(aged 14) 1489
(Justice, Chester) 1501-2
chn: [?] Elizabeth Cholmondeley
Hugh Cholmondeley [1] b c1514; (aged 25) 1539 below
Richard Cholmondeley [2] (had no chn)

Randall Cholmondeley [3] d in infancy
Randall Cholmondeley [4] (had no chn); d 25 Apr 1563; (adm. Lincoln's Inn); (Reader); (Serjeant-at-law); (Recorder, London)
George Cholmondeley [5] (had no chn)
Annes Cholmondeley [1] m Randall Mainwaring of Carincham, Cheshire c1500-.... QV
Catherine Cholmondeley [2] m Richard Prestland of Prestland and Wardhill, Cheshire
Ursula Cholmondeley [3] m Thomas Stanley of Weaver, Cheshire Esq c1516-.... [VIS.CHESH.1580 216]
[ORDER OF CHN see VIS.CHESH.1580]

Sir Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire Knight c1514-1596
m1 Amy OR Ann dau of George Dor of Malpas, Cheshire Esquire and Joan (Hill dau and coheir=b of Thomas Hill (of Hodnet, Salop) c1462-.... QV
m2 Mary Griffith dau of Sir William Griffith of Penrhyn Knight (Chamberlain of North Wales); (but had no chn); m1 Sir Randall Brereton of Malpas, Cheshire c1522-.... QV
d 6 Jan 1596.7 aged 82; i Malpas; M.I.
(aged 25) 1539; (knighted) 1542; (Sheriff, Cheshire); (Sheriff, Flints); (Deputy Lieut., Cheshire); (Vice President, Marches of Wales) [DNB]
chn: Hugh Cholmondeley [1] b c1551; (aged 46+) 1597 below
Richard Cholmondeley [2] (had no chn)
Randall Cholmondeley [3] (had no chn)
Frances Cholmondeley m Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey in Faddiley, Cheshire c1550-1610 QV

Sir Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire Knight c1551-1601
m c1580 Mary Holford dau and heir of Christopher Holford of Holford, Cheshire c1520-1581 [VIS.CHESH.1580 125] and Elizabeth (Mainwaring dau and coheir of Sir Randall Mainwaring of Over Peover, Cheshire Knight c1495-a1557 QV); b 1563; d 15 Aug 1626; (a famous litigant) [DNB]
d 23 Jul 1601; i Malpas; IPM 1601
(knighted) 1588; (aged 46+) 1597; (Escheator, Cheshire) 1591 1599; (Sheriff, Cheshire)
chn: Robert Cholmondeley [1] b c1584; (aged 17) 1601 below
Hatton Cholmondeley [2] (had no chn)
Hugh Cholmondeley [3] b c1594 below
Thomas Cholmondeley [4] b c1600 further below
Mary Cholmondeley [1] m Sir George Calveley of Lea, Cheshire Knight
Lettice Cholmondeley m Sir Richard Grosvenor of Eaton, Cheshire Knight
Frances Cholmondeley m (settlement, 11 Sep 1628) (as his 2nd wife) Peter Venables of Kinderton, Cheshire 1604-1669 QV

Robert Cholmondeley 1st Earl of Leinster 1584-1659
b 26 Jun 1584
m Catherine Stanhope dau of John Stanhope 1st Baron Stanhope of Harrington c1545-1621
QV; (but had no chn); d 15 Jun 1657
d 2 Oct 1659
(created a baronet) 29 Jun 1611
(created VISCOUNT CHOLMONDELEY OF KELLS [I.]) 2 Jul 1628
(created BARON CHOLMONDELEY OF WICHE MALBANK, Co. Chester) 1 Sep 1645
(created EARL OF LEINSTER) 3 Mar 1645.6 [DNB]
(compounded for his estate £7,742)
(may have had illegitmate children) [VIS.CHESH.1613 62]

Hugh Cholmondeley c1594-1655
m Mary Bodville dau of Sir John Bodville of Bodville Castle, Caernarvons
d 11 Sep 1655
chn: Robert Cholmondeley below
[other chn]

Robert Cholmondeley 1st Viscount Cholmondeley of Kells [I.] c1635-1681
m Elizabeth Cradock dau and coheir of George Cradock of "The Castle", Caverswall, Staffs
  1615-1643 QV; b c1640; i 28 Feb 1691.2 Malpas [CP]
d May 1681
(created VISCOUNT CHOLMONDELEY OF KELLS [I.]) 29 Mar 1661
chn: Hugh Cholmondeley (1st Earl of Cholmondeley) [DNB]
     Robert Cholmondeley b c1665; d 2 Feb 1678.9 aged 13; i 14 Feb 1678.9 Westminster Abbey; (educ. St Peters College, Westminster) 1678
     George Cholmondeley b 1666; (2nd Earl of Cholmondeley) [DNB] [PARl]
     Richard Cholmondeley [4] b c1668; d 5 Jun 1680 aged 12; i 7 Jun 1680 Westminster Abbey

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Thomas Cholmondeley of Vale Royal, Cheshire c1600-1653
b c1600 3rd son of Sir Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire Knight c1551-1601 QV
m Elizabeth Vernon dau of Sir Robert Vernon of Hodnet, Salop Knight c1577-1625 QV
m Elizabeth Minshull dau and heir of John Minshull of Church Minshull, Cheshire; d 1661
d 1653
(by gift of his mother or purchase, of Vale Royal, Cheshire)
chn: .[son]. Cholmondeley [1]
     .[son]. Cholmondeley [2]
     Thomas Cholmondeley [3] b 15 Sep 1627 below
     .[son]. Cholmondeley [4]
     .[son]. Cholmondeley [5]
     Francis Cholmondeley [6] c 10 Jan 1636 .....; i 3 Jul 1713 Minshull; (M.A., Brasenose, Oxford) 1669; (M.P., Newton) 1689 [PARL]

Thomas Cholmondeley of Vale Royal, Cheshire 1627-1702
b 15 Sep 1627
m1 a1651 Jane Tollemache dau of Sir Lionel Tollemache of Helmingham, Suffolk 2nd Baronet 1591-1640 [BP] [..]; d 14 Apr 1666
m2 20 May 1684 Ann St John dau of Sir Walter St John of Lydiard Tregoze, Wilts 3rd Baronet ....-.... [..]; d 1742
d 26 Feb 1702; i Church Minshull
(Sheriff, Cheshire) 1660-1
(with an estate of £2,000 pa, an intended Knight of the Royal Oak)
(M.P., Cheshire) 1670 1685
chn: Robert Cholmondeley b c1650 below
     [5 sons, 7 daus]
 [2] Charles Cholmondeley b 12 Jan 1684.5 below
     Seymour Cholmondeley
     [2 other sons]
     Joan Cholmondeley m Amos Meredith of Henbury

Robert Cholmondeley of Vale Royal, Cheshire c1650-1679
m 1675 Elizabeth Vernon dau of Sir Henry Vernon of Hodnet, Salop 1st Baronet 1606-1676 QV
d 1679
chn: Elizabeth Cholmondeley [heir] m John Atherton of Atherton, Lancs; (and had chn: Elizabeth [heir] m Thomas Heber of Marton, Yorks 1697-1752 [BLG (HEBER-PERCY]))

Charles Cholmondeley of Vale Royal, Cheshire 1685-1756
b 12 Jan 1684.5
m 22 Jul 1714 .....: Essex Pitt dau of Thomas Pitt of Blandford Forum, Dorset; (sister of Thomas Pitt 1st Earl of Londonderry c1686-1729 [CP])
d 30 Mar 1756
(adm. St John, Cambridge) 1701; (adm. Middle Temple) 1709; (M.P., Cheshire) 1710-5 1722-d; (grandfather of Thomas Cholmondeley 1st Baron Delamare 1767-1855)

John Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge, Staffs c1422-
b c1422 2nd son of William Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1390-1422 QV
m ..... Pickstock of Pickstock [? of Dunston in Penkridge, Staffs c1427-.... QV]
(Receiver to Lord Brooke)
chn: John I Cholmondeley [1] b c1477 below
     John II Cholmondeley [2] b c1480 further below

John I Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge, Staffs c1477-
m [?Margery] Allynn [Allen]; (as Margery) c1532 FAS
(living with son Thomas) c1532 FAS
chn: Thomas Cholmondeley below
     William Cholmondeley Will of Penkridge (PCC) 1 Apr 1551/..... mentions kinsmen
      Humphrey and Robert Cholmeley

Thomas Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge, Staffs c1502-
m Margery Aynion dau of Morrys Aynion; c1532 FAS
(with parents John and Margery) c1532 FAS
chn: Joan Cholmondeley b c1526; c1532 FAS
     Margery Cholmondeley b c1527; c1532 FAS
     Edward Cholmondeley b c1528; c1532 FAS below
     Alice Cholmondeley b c1529; c1532 FAS
     Catherine Cholmondeley b c1530; c1532 FAS
     Isabel Cholmondeley b c1531; c1532 FAS
     Margaret Cholmondeley b c1532; c1532 FAS
     Henry Cholmondeley b c1534

Edward Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge, Staffs gentleman c1528-p1583
m1 Eleanor Langton dau of Sir Thomas Langton of Newton, Lancs Knight c1503-a1569
   [BAINES III 642]
m2 a1583 ..... Powell dau of Richard Powell of Ednoppe, Salop
c1532 FAS; (as gentleman, summoned and entered at the Visitation, and signed the
record) Aug *1583
chn: Henry Cholmondeley b c1557; (aged 26) 1583
     Ursula Cholmondeley m Thomas Purslow (of Sidbury, Salop) c1540-....
      [VIS.SALOP.1623 415]
 [2] Richard Cholmondeley [2]

..... Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge c1575-
chn: .[dau]. Cholmondeley m Edward Bowyer of Sidway in Maer, Staffs c1600-.... QV

John II Cholmondeley of Bletchingley, Surrey c1480-
b c1480 2nd son of John Cholmondeley of Coppenhall in Penkridge, Staffs c1452-....
QV
m Joan Turner OR Mary Turner dau and heir of John Turner of Bletchingley, Surrey
[BP]
d 1534; i Bletchingley; Will (...) 25 Mar 1534/1534
chn: Richard Cholmondeley [1] below
     Henry Cholmondeley [2] m Catherine Stephenson; (and had chn: William (who had
      chn: William)); d 1547; Will (...) 5 May 1545/1547
     Elizabeth Cholmondeley m William Arrowsmith

Richard Cholmondeley of Bletchingley, Surrey c1510-
m1 Elizabeth Mitchell of Stamerham, ?Sussex
m2 Denise Philips; m1 ..... Homden; d 1558; i Bletchingley; Will (..) 20 Feb
   1556.7/1558
chn: Humphrey Cholmondeley b c1540 below
     John I Cholmondeley [2] below
 [2] Robert Cholmondeley [3] m Ann Hastings dau of Anthony Hastings; (but had no
      chn): She Will (...) 5 Nov 1595/1596: He d 10 Jun 1590; Will (...) 27 Feb
      1589/22 Jun 1590; (of Burton Coggles, Lincs)
     Bennet Cholmondeley [4] unm.

John II Cholmondeley [5] below
Joan Cholmondeley [1] m ..... Tickhill of Bletchingley, Surrey
Margaret Cholmondeley [2] m ..... Davy
Joan Cholmondeley [3] m John Eton of Bletchingley

Humphrey Cholmondeley of Bletchingley, Surrey c1540-1559
m Elizabeth Slade dau and coheir of Roger Slade
d 1559; Will (...) 1 Mar 1558/1559
chn: John Cholmondeley (of Ashby-de-la-Zouche)
William Cholmondeley
Thomas Cholmondeley
Robert Cholmondeley
Betteridge Cholmondeley

John I Cholmondeley of Bletchingley, Surrey c1542-
m ..... Eton
d 1589; Will (...) 20 Jan 1585/.....
chn: Richard Cholmondeley (of Bletchingley, Surrey) [see VIS.SURREY.1623]
Nicholas Cholmondeley
John Cholmondeley

John II Cholmondeley of Bletchingley, Surrey c1550-
m Isabel Hare dau of John Hare of London and Homersfield, Suffolk; m1 John Brooke
d 1572; Will (...) 12 Jan 1572/1572
(of Old Windsor, Bucks)
chn: Henry Cholmondeley [1] b 1562 (of Easton, Lincs) [see BP]
Nicholas Cholmondeley [2]
John Cholmondeley [3]
Richard Cholmondeley [4]
Catherine Cholmondeley [1] m ..... Armstrong
Dennis Cholmondeley [2] m ..... Norton
Abigail Cholmondeley [3] m ..... Burton
Martha Cholmondeley [4]

Robert Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1326-
b c1326 3rd son of Hugh Cholmondeley of Cholmondeley, Cheshire c1275-.... QV
m Alice Wasteneys dau and coheir of John Wasteneys of Wyncham, Cheshire
(both living) 1349-50; (living) 1361
chn: William Cholmondeley below
John Cholmondeley below

William Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1351-c1402
d c1402

John Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1360-
m Lettice Bromley dau and heir of Walter Bromley (of Baddington, Cheshire)
c1320-....
QV
(as on of Robert C.) 1411-2; (with son Robert C.) 1421
chn: Robert Cholmondeley below

Robert Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1411-
m Alice Needham dau of Robert Needham of Cranage, Cheshire c1386-1448 QV
chn: William Cholmondeley below

William Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1433-
chn: John Cholmondeley below

John Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire c1456-
m Joan Eaton dau and coheir of Thomas Eaton of Golston

chn: Richard Cholmondeley b c1482 below
     Roger Cholmondeley b c1492 below

Sir Richard Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire Knight c1482-1522
d 1522
(Lieut., Tower of London)
chn: Roger Cholmondeley [illeg.] b c1502; m Christine .....; (and had chn: [2 daus]):
      She i Dec 1558 St Martin Ludgate: He i 2 Jul 1565 St Martin Ludgate;
      (adm. Lincoln's Inn); (sergeant-at-law) 1531; (Reader) 1524 1529 1531;
      (Recorder, London) 1536; (knighted) Oct 1536; (M.P., London) 1537 1542; (King's
      Serjeant) 1544; (Chief Baron of the Exchequer) 1545; (Chief Justice of the
      King's Bench) 21 Mar 1552; (founded Highgate GS) 1562 [DNB] [FOSS]

Sir Roger Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire Knight c1492-1538
m Catherine Constable dau of Sir Robert Constable of Flamborough, Yorks Knight c1470-
  1538 QV
d 28 Apr 1538
(of Roxby and Thornton, Yorks)
(Knight of the Body, Henry VIII)
chn: Richard Cholmondeley below

Sir Richard Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire Knight c1516-
m1 a1537 Margaret ..... dau of William .... Baron Conyers ....-.... [..] [NOT INDEXED]
m2 a1556 Catherine Clifford dau of Henry Clifford 1st Earl of Cumberland 1493-1542
   [..] [DNB]; m1 John Scrope ... Baron Scrope of Bolton ....-.... [..]
d 17 May 1583; i Thornton-le-Dale
(built a house at Whitby Abbey)
(knighted at Leith by the Earl of Hertford) ?1544
(M.P., ...) 1547 1558
(Sheriff, Yorks) 1547-8 1556-7
chn: Francis] Cholmondeley [1]
     Roger Cholmondeley
     Richard Cholmondeley
 [2] Henry Cholmondeley

NOT INDEXED BELOW

Sir William Cholmondeley of Whitby, Yorks ... Baronet
chn: Elizabeth Cholmondeley [1] [coheir] m Sir Edward Dering of Surrenden, Kent ...
      Baronet ....-.... [..]; (and had chn: Cholmley)

(ancestor of CHOLMONDELEY OF CHORLEY AND WHITBY)

Nathaniel Cholmondeley of London merchant
m Mary Cholmondeley dau and heir of Sir Hugh Cholmondeley of Whitby, Yorks 4th Baronet
d 1727
chn: Hugh Cholmondeley [1] below

Hugh Cholmondeley of Chorley, Cheshire 1684-1755
b 3 Aug 1684
m Mar 1716 Catherine Wentworth dau of Sir John Wentworth of North Elmsall, Yorks 1st
  Baronet ....-.... [..]
d 25 May 1755
(educ. Enfield GS); (adm. Magdalen, Cambridge) 1700; (M.P., Hedon) 1708-21;
(Sheriff, Yorks) 1724-5
chn: [8 sons, 4 daus]

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